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To: Child and Adult Care Food Program Organizations

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Subject: Additional Waivers - Emergency Feeding in the Child and Adult Care Food Program  
(CACFP) in Areas Affected by Hurricane Katrina

This memorandum announces additional waivers to Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) policies relating to the CACFP in areas affected by Hurricane Katrina. Unless otherwise indicated, the waivers discussed in this memorandum are in effect through September 30, 2005. FNS will continue to monitor the situation in these areas and provide updates and extensions, as appropriate.

**Emergency Shelters in CACFP**

The first bullet in the September 2, 2005, guidance under the heading of "Emergency Shelters in CACFP" read as follows:

- Where significant numbers of persons displaced by Hurricane Katrina are being temporarily housed, State agencies (SAs) may designate any appropriate facility as an emergency shelter, and may waive institution application requirements in these situations.

We wish to clarify that "any appropriate facility" could include a school or institution which, although it is not providing actual shelter, is nevertheless providing meals to displaced persons being temporarily housed elsewhere, in locations that do not have the means to provide meal service to these temporary residents.

Please feel free to contact your program specialist if you have further questions.

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